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THE JAPANESE EMBASSY.

ARRIVAL OF THE ROANOKE.

Objects of the Embassy, &c.

The United States steam frigate Roanoke, bearing the Japanese Ambassadors and their attendants, arrived in the harbor of this city, and Hampton Roads, on Friday last, whence she will proceed this morning at sunrise for Hampton Roads, according to the instructions of the Secretary of the Navy. The Roanoke appeared in the harbor at six o'clock, and fired a salute of twenty-one guns, which was responded to by the numerous surrounding vessels, the circumstances of her mission being sufficiently well understood to call it forth.

From the moment of her coming in sight, she was closely attended by the pilot boat George Steers, on board of which were certain prompt and energetic journalists, and by a small sloop from the Navy Yard, carrying Government dispatches for Flag-Officer McKeever. During the last four or five miles of her course the frigate was surrounded by the other craft, causing a good deal of excitement, which extended to the shore, made terrific endeavors to arrest her progress by running before her bows and firing small cannon, but unavailingly.

The appearance of the Roanoke was such that she could not be boarded until after reaching her anchorage, which she did about half-past seven o'clock. For some time previous, however, the appearance and movements of those on deck were clearly discernable. Crowds of strangely attired, and shadowy complexioned men thronged the sides, gazing seriously and persistently toward the land.

With heads uncovered, and with blue coats daintily adorned with many gratuitous brass buttons and interspersed with gold lace, the officers of brighter hue gleamed among the soberer garments, showing that officers of higher Japanese rank enjoyed the general surroundings. The appearance of the frigate was animated in the highest degree, and the unusual bustle and activity gave evidence of unwonted excitement on board.

Toward 8 o'clock, the boat of the George Steers ran alongside, its passengers carried a letter of recommendation from Washington that was to the slow, directing the Flag-Officer not to enter the port, but to make preparations for an immediate return to Hampton Roads. This document was forthwith conveyed to the Commodore, upon whom it produced an effect which Mr. Secretary Toucey would probably not have been overjoyed to witness.

The indignation of the commanding officer as soon as the news diffused itself, was warmly seconded by everybody, especially by those most directly concerned, the Japanese themselves, who, after a momentary expression of disappointment, declared much satisfaction with their destination. Having had their dazzling expectations raised as to the wonders and delights of New York, they acknowledged some regret at the abandonment of its charms; but on finding that they were to be straightway before the head of the Government, their composure returned.

Their appetite, desire all along has been to avoid any publicity until after their formal recognition by the President at Washington; and they assured the officers of the Roanoke of their willingness to undergo the three additional days of voyage for the sake of satisfying this inclination.

The pilot, soon after, of fuller and more definite letters from the sloop which also went on board a Norfolk pilot—that no time might be lost in reaching that city, augmented the disappointment of the Japanese, but, as no alternative was open, orders were given out that the frigate should set sail at sunrise this morning.

The Japanese, observing that something unexpected had occurred, sought information, which was given to them through their chief interpreter, Moryama, with whose name and pronunciation of all who know of the visit of Commodore Perry and Lord Elgin to Japan are acquainted. This Moryama, a person evidently of great consideration, although not of the highest rank, is as modest and quiet in mien as if the entire means of communication between representatives of two great nations were not chiefly under his control.

Altogether, so far as we were able to discover in a somewhat hurried inspection, the appearance of our Japanese visitors was most agreeable and prepossessing. They were mostly dressed in loose blue coats and wide trousers, white stockings and leather slippers. (these last undoubtedly supplied them on board the ship, as their feet covering when at home is made of straw,) and with uncovered heads. Their hair was drawn up in two long bands to the tops of their heads, and was there confined by a single tie consisting of wood or horn, the exact nature of which it was not possible to detect in the darkness.

The Japanese are not generally a fine race, the average of our own people, and in complexion somewhat darker, although a few exceptions showed that there are among the Japanese companions as fair as those of Caucasian blood. The countenances were full of intelligence, and an expression of great amiability seemed to belong to all alike. Of the most eminent dignitaries, only three or four were stalwart men, the gentlemen being scarce in the seclusion of their state-rooms, chance-opening doors of which revealed them undergoing the comforting process of shaving and having their feet washed. The

There are seventy-one Japanese on board the Roanoke, one of the original delegation having been unhappily left on Francisco, and left behind to be reconducted home. The seventy ones were so lively in their movements, and so excessively conspicuous, that their numbers seemed multiplied at least seven times. At every turn, and in every corner, a Japanese appeared—always smiling blandly, and making a sort of effort to indicate good fellowship in some mute manner.

A few words in English would put him in the best possible humor, which he would manifest, a few responsive syllables of Japanese, by the interchange of all of which, sentiments of pleasure reciprocally were established on every side. They showed a good deal of concern when Capt. Taylor, who, while with them ever since their departure from Yeddo, and who acts as their "guide, philosopher, and friend," announced the intention of going on shore. They were tranquilized, however, by the assurance of his reappearance at Hampton Roads.

Captain Taylor and two officers of the Roanoke, in addition to the before mentioned journalists, came up to the city last evening in the George Steers, whose captain, in spite of a bitter roughness of weather, which reduced everybody to a state of dilution wholly incompatible with naval or consular dignity, succeeded in landing his passengers at the Battery, a little before midnight. Captain Taylor remains in town for a short time this morning, returning in whence, after complet ng certain arrangements for the reception of the foreigners, he will go on to Norfolk, and rejoin the Embassy.

THE OBJECTS OF THE EMBASSY, ETC.

From the New York Herald.

The Embassy will remain only some four or five weeks, then leave for home. The principal object of the mission is to get an English copy of the treaty signed by the President of the United States. The original was burnt in the great fire at Jeddo two years ago. The copy in England was saved. This they bring with them, and a copy of it (not signed), and a letter from the Tycoon to the President.

The box containing these documents is locked upon by them as almost sacred. It is called the "treaty box" and is never allowed out of their sight. It is a three feet long, twenty-six inches in depth and eighteen inches wide, covered with red morocco leather, and neatly sewed round the edges. There are three japanned boxes placed together, and then covered. Around the box is a light frame, and when carried is borne on the backs of four men by poles.

The Embassy brings with it some $50,000 cash, for the purpose of making purchases. There are two boxes of $20,000 each, one $18,400, one $9,000, one $15,000, and some $4,000 of silver, supposed to be that of their own money. Their money was all brought from Japan in Mexican dollars and American half dollars, stamped with the Japanese mark—an arrangement made by Commissioner Harris. Foreign coin has never before been received in Japan till lately, except at a very depreciated value.

At San Francisco they exchanged their silver for American gold, which Purser Doras, of the Roanoke, had in charge, for safe keeping. And we understand will be deposited in the Sub-Treasury here in New York, and drawn out as they want it.

They bring an immense amount of baggage—over eighty trunks—which made four full cars loads over the Panama Railroad. They have fifteen boxes containing valuable presents for the President of the United States.

They have articles of their own manufacture of very curious description, some of which will astonish our people when they see them. They have a beautiful specimen of Sharpe's rifle, one of their own manufacture, also one of those presented by Commodore Perry, made by Sharpe himself. The cost trade of the Japanese is a decided improvement upon the original, as progressively as the Japanese are.

The Japanese officers of the Roanoke are all men of education, and intelligent. They call themselves very much the same as the Americans, except they don't eat as often. These officers all mess in the wardroom, with the officers of the ship. They handle a knife and fork as skillfully and drink a glass of champagne as readily as the best of them. They are as polite, good-natured and friendly people as are to be found in the world. Coming in and going out they invariably make a bow and say a polite "thank you" in English. Each officer has a second Spanish look, others a Dutch look.

The Vice Governor, he was a familiar expression, might be called a "jolly, fat Dutchman," who would relish a mug of lager much better than a glass of Heidsick or sherry, but this is not the fact. Saké is his drink, their favorite drink, which is so extensively drank in it its own country, although they can "worry down" a glass of Heidsick or sherry, if need require.

The two Ambassadors, Censor and Vice Governor, mess in the Flag officers quarters.

The Ambassadors were not out of their rooms more than a couple of hours on the voyage from Aspinwall to New York. Last Monday they all came out and went on deck to witness the movements of Roanoke's Rangers." This is a company of twenty-one boys, from twelve to eighteen years of age, who act as a sort of drilled boys, attached to the ship are thoroughly trained in all kinds of fire arm exercise which is taught in military academies.

They exercise with Perry's carbine, and it is wonderful to see the skill and precision with which they handle the weapon. The Japanese watched these exercises with a great deal of interest. Everything is done with clock-work precision—every one having a special duty assigned him. They were in every part of the ship. Lieutenant Poindexter allowed them full swing, to go where they pleased and when they pleased, any time of day or night, except into the magazine.

It is proper to state that the fare and social accommodations on board the Roanoke was all that heart could wish. Officers and men lived with each other in trying to make them comfortable and feel themselves at home. The wardroom officers did the thing up in splendid style. Nothing in the eating, drinking and smoking line that was not furnished their guests in the most liberal manner. It was the same in the flag officers quarters, and every where else—all enough of everything from the Ambassadors down to the cooks.

At first sight they will be called Chinese, as they resemble them in general appearance very much, but much to the majority of people cannot be made to believe that the Chinese and the Japanese are not one and the same. It is on becoming acquainted with them that we see the difference, and wonder how it is that they can be called the same people. The Chinese, as seen in this country, are stupid, sulky, lazy and dirty, and have to be begged, or bullied into what they consider it, of stirring on the sidewalks with two or three dozen pethaps of penny cigars. While the Japanese are the "pick of the litter," bright, intelligent, very sociable, quick to understand, and very cleanly. Nothing annoys them more than to ask them if they are not descendants of the Chinese—they tell you "No," and that their country was a powerful nation before the Chinese existed." The Japanese have never been conquered; they are proud and rather haughty—all of their peculiar characteristics is their national pride.

The Informal Ballot for Governor at Decatur.

The following was the informal ballot for Governor, in the Republican State Convention, by Counties:

Counties.	Judd.	Swett.	Yates.
Adams	6		10
Alexander		1	
Bond	4		
Boone	1	1	
Brown	2		4
Bureau		3	7
Calhoun			3
Carroll	1		3
Cass			4
Champaign	6		
Christian			4
Clark			6
Clay		3	
Clinton		3	
Coles	5		
Cook	47		4
Crawford		4	
Cumberland			3
De Kalb	4		
De Witt		5	
Douglas			5
Dupage	6		1
Edgar		6	
Edwards	1		1
Effingham		3	
Fayette			3
Ford			1
Franklin	2	8	
Fulton			5
Gallatin		2	
Green			6
Grundy			4
Hamilton			4
Hancock	7		14
Hardin	1		
Henderson			3
Henry	4		4
Iroquois		5	
Jackson	1		1
Jasper			4
Jefferson		1	
Jersey			4
Jo Daviess	6		
Johnson			4
Kane	11		
Kankakee			2
Kendall	1		2
Knox			8
Lake	6		
La Salle	13		
Lawrence	3		1
Lee			5
Livingston			4
Logan			6
Macon			5
Macoupin			10
Madison	5		8
Marion	1		3
Marshall			6
Mason			3
Massac			3
McDonough	9		
McHenry	8		
McLean		19	
Menard			4
Mercer		4	3
Monroe	4		
Montgomery			5
Morgan			10
Moultrie			3
Ogle	4		4
Peoria	5		4
Perry	3		3
Piatt			4
Pike	7		4
Pope		1	
Putnam	1		2
Randolph			7
Richland	1		2
Rock Island	8		2
Saline			3
Sangamon	5		10
Schuyler	3		4
Scott			3
Shelby	1		4
Stark	2		1
Stephenson	11		
St. Clair	4		7
Tazewell	3		7
Union			3
Vermillion	7		7
Wabash			3
Warren	7		1
Washington			4
Wayne			5
White	3		3
Whiteside	5		2
Will	11		9
Williamson			6
Winnebago	9		
Woodford	1		1
Total	245	191	1[illegible]

A Military Company.—The Buffalo correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette*, speaking of the pulpit efforts on Sunday last by Bishop Ames, members of the General Conference, pays the following just and deserved compliment to our townsman, Rev. T. M. Eddy:

Rev. T. M. Eddy, editor of the Chicago *Christian Advocate*, presided in one of Methodist churches in this city, which I hear highly commended. He is probably the youngest man in the Conference, but his public career has been a very marked and successful one. He is a splendid editor, a preacher who will always be popular, a genial, wide awake, and almost genial man, with characteristic modesty and good sense, he occupies little time on the Conference floor, deferring to his brethren.

Eddy's Chemical Culture.—A number of young gentlemen, whose names we give below, passed their final examination for admission to College last Wednesday. They acquitted themselves with credit. Messrs. E. B. Goode, J. H. Osborn, C. Akin, James Dalton, Cyr. Thayer, Thos. Tully.

From San Carlos Geese.—The Northern Transcontinental Express has placed the Mail Route arrived here, a quintessence bringing the first Sale Canal goods of the season.

A Free Boat Race.—A race, Wolf Head is proposed, as we learn, to come off from High-land Park Station on Tuesday morning next. All lovers of sport are invited.

THE CITY.

Auction Sales this Morning.

Rosewood, Mahogany and Black Walnut Furniture, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets, Mirrors, &c. Also Common Furniture, by Officer & Sampson.

☞ Vermonters are requested to meet this evening at half-past seven o'clock at the Briggs House.

G. S. Hubbard, Chairman.

The Tremont to be Raised.—We learn that it is decided that the Tremont is to be raised to grade, and surveys for estimates are now being made.

Great Opening of the Republican Wigwam.—The cars of the North Chicago City Railway Company will run until 12 o'clock to-night, to accommodate those who wish to attend the first grand rally at the Wigwam.

Sons of Michigan.—The Committee of Arrangements and Reception for the Sons of Michigan, will meet at the Adams House this (Saturday) evening, at 7½ o'clock. As this will be the last meeting of the committee before the arrival of the delegates, every member is requested to be in attendance.

Rev. Mr. Guinness in Chicago.—It will be received with very general satisfaction that the distinguished clergyman, Rev. Mr. Guinness, is to preach in this city on Saturday morning, at the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Hum, phrey's, in the morning, and at Rev. Dr. Patterson's, the Second Presbyterian Church, in the evening.

The Great Wigwam.—Messrs. Jones, Perdue & Small, stationers, No. 123 Lake street, have issued a beautiful lithograph picture of the Great Wigwam, the work of the accomplished workmen and artists of Charles Shober of No. 109 Lake street. Although only issued yesterday morning, two hundred were sold before noon.

The United States Express Company.—The United States Express Company are to take possession of the large, first-class store No. 130 Lake street, the next door but one to the corner of Clark, running back and forming one with the store a few doors from the corner of Lake on Clark street, giving them a front on both streets. This will give them admirable facilities for their extensive and increasing business.

More Delegates for Utah.—A large party of Mormons, their wives and little ones, numbering about three hundred, passed through this city yesterday, en route for Salt Lake City. They are European emigrants, who landed at Baltimore, and came across Pennsylvania and New York to Suspension Bridge, and so westward by the Great Western and Michigan Central Railroad. They are the supplement of the crowd which passed through this city last Sunday, and will rejoin that party at Florence, Nebraska Territory.

Train Stone.—Citizens and strangers in Chicago who contemplate the huge proportions of the beautiful flagstone, twenty-five tons in weight, and sixteen by twenty-five feet in dimensions, will be interested to couple with the fact the not very remote reminiscence that when in 1848 John M. Van Osdel, Esq., the Architect of the Court House had that structure still on paper, it was sagely decided that there was no dimension stone in Chicago suitable for so large a structure, and the building material of our Court House was actually brought from Lockport, Ill., while now within twenty miles by land, they are being worked in inexhaustible quarries of the finest building stone in the world.

The Sixth Ward Banner.—The banner to be presented by Mayor Wentworth to the Sixth Ward for its lead in the majorities at the late municipal elections, has been finished by Otto Stolle, and does him great credit.

The whole effect of the banner is imposing and beautiful. Its coloring is very brilliant, and in excellent taste; the space is filled but not crowded; and the design is exceedingly appropriate and full of meaning. The size of the banner is eight feet long and five wide.

Upon the opposite side is the American flag, beautifully painted. The material is of the best silk. Upon the staff supporting it rests a golden eagle, and it is appropriately decorated with silken cords, tassels, etc.

An Elegant Band Chariot.—Mr. James P. Smith, manager for Joy & Frisbie, has just been getting up a tasteful and capacious band chariot for general use. It is an institution long needed here and our bands are in ezteecies at it. The cost of the wagon is in the neigborhood of $300. It is built in the most elegant and substantial manner, and decorated in the very highest style of the painter and gilder's art. The ground work of the wagon is a bright scarlet, bordered with rich gilding, composed of musical instruments, male and female figures, theological animals, &c. In the centres of the panels, in the front and rear, and also at the sides are female figures, boys, &c., representing the graces and muses.

Mr. Smith deserves the credit as the designer and supervisor of the work throughout, Mr. Charles Ellsasser of 312 Randolph street being the artist. It will be out during the week to come.

City Building Improvements.—We notice that the brick building on the corner of Rush and Kinzie streets, owned by E. S. Wadsworth, is being torn down to make room for the erection of a block of five brick stores, one hundred feet front on Rush street and three stories high above a well ventilated basement. The first stories and basements are to be of iron, with iron lintels; the fronts on Rush and Michigan streets to be of pressed brick. The entire block will be built in a substantial and durable manner. Otto H. Matz is the architect.

The same architect is preparing plans for the erection of a four story brick building 24 x100 feet on Dearborn street, opposite the new post office building. The front of the same will be of pressed brick, and finished with cast stone trimmings. Among the buildings under the supervision of Mr. Matz, commenced this season and partly finished, may also be mentioned the elegant building on Randolph street adjoining the New York House. This structure is 40 x120 feet, with a cut stone front of a very tasteful design. Also, a frame dwelling with brick basement, and two first class brick dwellings with stone trimmings on Superior street. A block of five Milwaukee brick stores, 140 ft. front by 100 feet deep, fronting the Michigan Central Depot and adjoining the Marine Hospital, and a number of smaller buildings. The whole cost of said buildings amounting to $65,000.

The Great Building Raising.

When Chicago shall have been for a decade or more of years up to grade it will come to be a marvel and a doubt in many minds that the wonder was ever accomplished of raising to grade the entire front of *three hundred and twenty feet*, at one and the same time, and that of first class buildings filled with tenants, stores and offices.

But Messrs. Brown & Hollingsworth, Pullman & Moore, and Ely & Smith, the contracting firms, between whom this work was accomplished, have wisely chosen to perpetuate the memory of their feat in a beautiful lithograph, from the lithograph establishment of Edward Mendel, No. 163 Lake street. It was well and honorably done for Chicago, both the work itself and this its perpetuation.

The City Railway Company.

We referred yesterday to a progressive change in the Superintendency department of the Chicago City Railway. We hope that at a meeting of the Directors, held on Thursday evening, David A. Boss, Esq., was unanimously chosen Superintendent, for Judge Fuller, whose resignation has been accepted. The road thus bestows the "Rise of David," and it is in most excellent hands. Some one ventured the remark yesterday, last year it by Capt. Gage, that Mr. Gage "would make full as good a Superintendent as the Company had, if not *Fuller*." Judge Fuller has gone to Capital Hill, having commenced the work at the outset and seeing the whole accomplished under his active and energetic supervision. No street railway in any city in the United States is a better condition as regards equipment and running arrangements.

We find in the Chicago *Tribune* of Thursday last the following notice of the Chicago Hochmeister Choir and its conductor:

From a certificate of membership in "The Beethoven Choir-sister Association of Chicago," signed by "A. Lindley, Secretary," it is evident that his name was Martin Mollahr. On his person were also found a constitution of the above Association, a memorandum book and an iron snuff box containing twenty-three cents.

The following description may also serve to identify the man: Five feet nine inches high; thirty years of age; sandy hair; had on a red flannel undershirt; woolen outside shirt; black and white overall, small plaid; brown and black stamped plaid pants; knit over-jacket; and black outside coat.

CONVENTION WEEK.

THE COMING WEEK IN CHICAGO.

The Great Excursion Trains.

ILLUMINATION OF MICHIGAN AVENUE.

THE WIDE-AWAKES IN CHICAGO.

Arrival and Reception of Delegations.

Ere another issue of our paper will have opened a week to which our citizens have for months looked forward with eagerness. Our city has been chosen, here to throw to the winds the broad banner of Republicanism, and here to name the leader who shall lead our hosts to victory. For weeks past our citizens have been in an active state of preparation to do honor to the occasion. First and chiefest all stands the Great Wigwam, to-day a completed structure, and to-night to be dedicated to the Republican cause.

It must not be understood that its utility will have passed with the close of the Convention. It will be the scene of noble rallies in the months to come, until November sees it lighted up to celebrate a Republican victory. But it owes its present existence, as it stands, to the Convention, and it will be the centre of interest and enthusiasm during the week to come.

Already there are numerous arrivals at our leading hotels, of delegates and outsiders, which number will be largely swelled by the arrivals of to-day. The great excursion trains from the East will commence to land their passengers in Chicago on Monday morning.

The Excursion Trains.

The trains from Buffalo and Niagara Falls, to arrive on Monday evening, will be monster affairs. A gentleman who arrived here yesterday, a New Hampshire delegate, was informed by one of the officers of the Great Western Railway, at Hamilton, that *fifteen hundred tickets* had already been sold for the train through, to arrive here on the Michigan Cintel Railroad at 10 p. m. or in sixteen hours from Suspension Bridge.

A large number of delegates are to rendezvous at Niagara Falls and Buffalo to take the great excursion trains on the Michigan Central and Michigan Southern routes. Of the arrival of these trains our Republicans must take due cognizance, and make their arrival notable, as easily they can do.

It is suggested, and as far as we have heard opinions expressed, received with satisfaction, that upon the arrival of the train at the Michigan Central Depot, at ten o'clock, that there be an

ILLUMINATION OF MICHIGAN AVENUE.

The train will pass slowly in along the pier at the hour named, and nothing could be a finer spectacle than to have those who reside along the front of our city illuminate their dwellings.

If not done thoroughly, and in a special manner, as numbers declare their intention to do, let at least the apartments fronting on the lake, be, as far as possible, lit up during the half hour or more of the arrival of these two thousand guests.

There will be mainly the delegations from Massachusetts and the other New England States. The Massachusetts delegation will bring with them Gilmore's Brass Band, of twenty pieces. For this band, headquarters and lodgings have been secured in Garrett Block, under the charge of Dick Somers, the wide-awake landlord of the City Hotel.

And speaking of wide-awakes, brings us naturally to speak of an organization spreading like wild fire among our young Republicans. We allude to

THE WIDE-AWAKES IN CHICAGO.

They are "falling in" by scores, and according to present prospects will number two or three hundred strong. Their uniform is a glazed cap and cape and torch, costing in all about twenty shillings, the entire expense the organization imposes on its members. It is now drilling each evening at Cadet's Hall, and we advise all young men Republicans to "fall in" and be in readiness for escort duty the coming week. They will be out to-night to escort the distinguished speakers to the dedication of the Wigwam. On Wednesday morning they will escort the delegates to the great Wigwam by torch-light.

J. A. Smith & Co., 118 Lake street, are getting up a cheap and neat uniform, cap and cape, for the Wide-Awakes. They also supply the torch-light lamps, all ready for use.

MEETING OF RETURNED CALIFORNIANS.

At a meeting of returned Californians held at the Tremont House last evening, Carlos Haven, Esq., was appointed Chairman, and J. T. Hoyt, Secretary. It was

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a Committee of five to publicly receive the California delegates to the Republican Convention, with power to add the names of such returned Californians as will act on the Committee.

The Chair appointed as such Committee, Messrs. Jas. T. Hoyt, A. J. Averill, A. Wolcott, P. B. Manchester, G. W. Watson.

The following gentlemen were added to the Committee—S. R. Haven, Chas. E. P. Holden, B. Johnson, Carlos Haven, jr., R. Payson, W. H. Rand.

An Auxiliary Committee of Arrangements and to procure a suitable banner was appointed consisting of Messrs. G. W. Watson, A. Wolcott, H. R. Payson.

The meeting adjourned to meet at the Tremont House on Monday evening next at half-past 7 o'clock.

All returned Californians, whether residing in this city, or in other places, are requested to be present.

The New Jersey Delegation.—The natives and former citizens of New Jersey, now residents of Chicago, had arranged to meet the delegation from that State upon the cars, and escort them to their quarters at the Richmond House. A dispatch from Hon. James T. Sherman, dated yesterday, at Alliance, Ohio, to the Chairman of the Chicago Committee, stated that the delegation would arrive at different times and by different routes, and, therefore, it would be impossible for the intended courtesies to be extended to them. Mr. Sherman will probably reach the city by this morning's train on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

THE PENNSYLVANIA DELEGATION.

The delegation from Pennsylvania leave Pittsburgh in an excursion train direct for Chicago, to arrive here on Tuesday morning. They will be met at the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago depot by the Reception Committee of that State, and escorted to their quarters. The Light Guard Band is to furnish the music.

DELEGATES ALREADY HERE.

Sam. Ball, I. C. Hinkley, D. W. Cheesman, D. J. Staples, and I. P. Zane, of California, are stopping at the Tremont House, and will be happy to see their friends and returned Californians.

Delegates already at the Richmond House are, Hon. B. G. Hazard, R. I; Col. Wm. Ross, Ill.; M. Ross, Ill.; Jason Marsh, Ill.; Hon. P. T. Washburne, Vt.; Wm. Richardson, Albany, N. Y.; Jas Terwilliger, Secretary N. Y. State Senate, and D. R. Pearl, N. Y.

At the Briggs House are, Jacob G. Finck, Pottsville, Pa; John Weir, Franklin, Pa., and S. A. Bergstresser, Northumberland, Pa.

INQUEST.

Killed by the Cars.—An inquest was held yesterday at the C. B. & Q. R. R. Freight Depot on the body of a man named Martin McHale, who was killed between Babcock's Grove and Desby on Thursday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, by a train on the Galena road. The engineer testified that he saw the deceased walking on the track a long way off and that he looked round and staggered off. Shortly after, he again appeared on the track, and the train was nearing him and the whistle was blown and bell rung, but the unfortunate man paid no attention, until the locomotive was up to him, when he suddenly turned his head and was struck by the bumper, and instantly killed. The train was stopped and the body placed aboard and brought to this city.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

☞ Go to John Jones, 119 Dearborn street and get your clothes cleaned and repaired. They will be well done and at prices to suit the times.

Copartnership.—Notice is hereby given that W. R. Hemmenway is admitted as partner in the Chicago Mechanics Fire Co. and is authorized to receive subscriptions and moneys from this date. The name of the firm will continue as heretofore. G. T. Moore & Co.

Chicago, May 11, 1860.

☞ Ladin & Brown have moved from No. 12 to No. 52 State street. They have on hand a good supply of Pork and Beef Hams. my 12-6t

Fare Reduced.—The Michigan Southern and Lake Shore R. R. will run a fast train between Buffalo and Chicago on Monday, May 14th, bringing delegates to the Republican Convention at half regular rates.

my8-6t Geo. M. Gray, Agent.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

—Church of the Ascension (Protestant Episcopal) on Oak street, near the corner of Wells, N. D., to open for Divine service on Sunday, May 13th, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M., and also on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday school at 1½ o'clock P. M. Rev. William Fulton, Rector.

The First Christian (Disciple) Church, on Monroe street between Aberdeen and Green streets. W. M. Meeting and Speaking at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M. Sunday School at 2½ P. M., every Sabbath. Seats free.

There will be regular service next Sabbath, in the United Presbyterian Church, on the corner of Washington and Jefferson streets, W. D., at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

New England Church, Rev. Samuel Wolcott, Pastor, corner of Wells and Indiana streets. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday School at 2½ P. M.

Mr. A. B. Whitney will lecture on Spiritualism, at Kingsbury Hall on Sunday May 13th, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

The Rev. Dr. J. W. Thompson will preach to-morrow at Trow Church, corner of Chicago Avenue and Dearborn street. The services will commence at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M.

MARRIED.

On Thursday, the 10th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Boston, JOHN J. FORTIC, of New York, and MARY Gardner, daughter of T. J. Gardner, Esq., of this city.

At Lafayette, Ind., on the 26 inst., by Rev. J. H. Hull, Mr. Milton Smith, of Chicago, Ill., and Miss EMMA E., daughter of Mr. Ezra Smith, of the above place.

DIED.

In Providence, R. I., on the 6th inst., of Amputation of the Knee, Hon. BENJAMIN GOWELL, a highly respected citizen of that city, aged 79 years.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are pleased to inform the public that

On and after Wednesday, 9th inst.,

We shall be prepared to do business with them.

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32 LAKE STREET,

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We shall be glad to see our old customers, and country merchants who want Clothing cheap.

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CAUTION.—A Note payable to Dr. Sester Beverdt, for Fifty Dollars, signed by A. Carpenter, and payable on or before April 25th, 1860, having been obtained from me by false representations, I hereby caution all persons not to pay the same, as I will not be responsible for it. A. CARPENTER. Chicago, May 11th, 1860. myl1-3t

TO RENT.—Store No. 186 Kinzie street, just east of Clark. Inquire of 186 Kinzie-st. myl1-3t

TO RENT—Either one of the Two Offices now occupied by the Western West Insurance and Trust Company, corner Clark and South Water streets. Possession given May 15th. Enquire at the Office. my12-3t

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A. G. DOWNS & CO.

Chicago, May 12th, 1860. my12 6t&2t

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TO BUILDERS.—Proposals will be received for the construction of a Block of Stores on the corner of Wabash avenue and Twenty-fifth street, according to plans and

Dana's Tribune.

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1860

WILL THEY DARE?

If there is any man green enough to believe that the National Union Constitutional movement at Baltimore is anything more than a repetition of the Fillmore swindle of 1856, for the benefit of the mulatto-making Democracy, he surely ought not to be permitted to go round where the cows are at large, else he might be mistaken for some other verdant thing and be swallowed up. We take it that we need not spend a moment's time in proving that what we assert of that object of that petty farce is true. The character of the actors, their political antecedents, their known proclivities, their wonted associations, all prove that they have assumed the garb only to cover the arms of United Fillmoredom that the Democracy may be served—that three hundred thousand or four hundred thousand timid, senile fogies would not vote outright for the Democracy, whose principles they hate with despise, may be persuaded to do that indirectly which the plotters have not the impudence to ask them to do openly. It would be an affront to the intelligence of the American people to suppose that any considerable and sufficient number of them can be humbugged, bamboozled, swindled by the shallow device which the wire-pullers have copied from the history of the well-remembered Fremont campaign. The idiot conspiracies which, in the election of Mr. Buchanan, and the renewal in a more dangerous form than ever before, of the slavery agitation, foiled the success of the original scheme are now upon the country, and he is a fool who does not see that they are the fruit of the very humbug which the Baltimore Convention has been striving to blow up anew. The Lecompton Constitution, the Dred Scott decision, the endless corruptions and criminal extravagance of the party in power are the legacy of the Democracy, and the party not nominated displayed a sadly less satisfactory than those who, old and fresh man returned to his post with the "stomach for the fight." The art of healing differences on the moment of their strongest divergence is no longer a monopoly of the Democracy. In the days of old Whiggery that respectable, and generally excellent organization never learned to gulp down their own discords with decent grace. Their better-drilled foes would wrangle all day, perhaps indulging in a promiscuous brawl with fists, chairs and inkstands, but the sun went not down on their wrath. A good supper, with plenty to drink, sufficed to drown animosities till after election. But the Whigs were too earnest in their disputes to forget each other's unkindness. Their brothers ached too long after the blows were given. The party was always crowded with foreheads between convention and election, and therefore except in extraordinary emergencies or by reason of lucky blunders, such as the advent of Harrison and Taylor in the political field, defeat was their constant portion.

Few persons will call in question the disciplins of the Republican party, who have watched the course of politics since Fremont and Dayton, its first nominees, swept eleven States with a whirlwind of strength. More particularly we think has the force of unity and obedience to nominations been manifested in the Northwest during the past three years.

We need but refer to the unexampled contest in Illinois two years ago, when the Republicans were called on to fight not only all their enemies but a good share of their friends, yea coming out of the fray with a majority of the popular vote. Another striking example is afforded by the late Gubernatorial election in Wisconsin, which opened with the most inauspicious omens in a supposed German defection, but closed with the largest majority ever given to a Republican Governor in that thoroughly Republican State. And the late city election in Chicago will occur to our readers as the most conspicuous testimony at hand in support of our position.

Feeling that, thus, and especially from the harmonious and enthusiastic close of our State Convention, we drew the happiest augury for the success of the Republican nominees for President and Vice President in November. All the strife in our own ranks is to be ended next week, as cordially as though the grave covered every one of the participants.

HOMESTEAD BILL PASSED.

We have not the eyes and ears or the vote in the House of Representatives on Thursday last on Mr. Morrill's Tariff bill; but we do not outrage probability when we say that the Republicans as a party, reinforced by a few Americans, voted for the bill, and that the whole Democratic host, all but a few of the Dunlaptio colored Douglasites, of the Yancey men of mediocre brain, voted against it. Of course it passed by a majority of the whole number of members, a number of ayes, it is fair to presume that a portion of the pro-slavery men travelling to offset the entire States, and afraid of their constituents at the North, dodged on the roll of the vote. But 64 ayes to 120 nays prove that final must have been the case. Inquiries of their friends, however, the bill has passed, and must go to the Senate.

That body has at this time but two real legislative measures on the conduct of which the fate of the Tariff will hinge—the Homestead law, and the Pacific Railroad bill. Either will be considered the greatest boon, and either will be considered to become a law. Both are national measures but both are worthy of the attention of all statesmen and parties. The Homestead bill, as passed by the House, is a measure of great liberality to the settler, and of great wisdom to the country. It gives to every man who has not a foot of land, and who will settle upon the public domain, a quarter section, or one hundred and sixty acres, free of all charge except the fees of the land office. It is a measure which will be hailed with joy by the hardy pioneers of the West, and which will be the means of settling up the vacant lands with a population which will be a source of strength to the Union, are mainly responsible. As in 1856, a great work for the propagandists of slavery remains to be done. Then Kansas was to be dragged into the sisterhood of States, under a pro-slavery constitution, now found to have been fabricated for her in Washington; and the Dred Scott decision was to be announced. Happily, the stone up upon Kansas failed; but the Dred Scott decision became the law of the land. Now a Congressional Slave Code for the Territories and the African Slave Trade are demanded; and just so surely as that the Republican defeat of 1856, effected by the Fillmore diversion, was followed by the events that we have named, just so surely will the success of the same old schemers in 1860, be the signal for the enactment of a National Slave Code, and for the enactment of the horrors of the middle passage. Are the men who fed the Bobby Brookes, the Jacob Brooms, the Washington Hunts and the Crittendens—of the National, Constitutional, Union-Saving party, prepared for such a consummation? We have seen within the past dozen years the Democracy so skillfully manipulated that they now denounce as treasonable and heretical that by which they formerly swore: are we now, to see the men who profess to be the inheritors of Henry Clay's principles and patriotism, transmogrified into the chief supporters of that shameless Democracy which the Great Kentuckian hated and feared down to the day of his death! We do not believe it. Deceived by their leaders, who in the last campaign first betrayed, and then led them into the camp of the enemy, they will now recognize the fact that, the only way for the restoration of peace to this distracted country, the only way for insuring the perpetuity of the Union, by rebuking those who are threatening to dissolve it, lies through a Republican triumph, and the re-inauguration of the principles in the government which the Fathers established, and which only such demagogues as Douglas have discovered to be dangerous, unconstitutional and false. "Imitations are always failures." Let the Union-savers of 1860 mind the adage.

REPUBLICAN DISCIPLINE.

No political assemblage ever separated with feelings of more cordial unity and harmony than the late Republican State Convention at Decatur. Of the twenty or more Candidates before the Convention, all who were not nominated displayed a sadly less satisfaction than those who were, and each man returned to his post with "stomach for the fight." The art of healing differences on the moment of their strongest divergence is no longer a monopoly of the Democracy. In the days of old Whiggery that respectable, and generally excellent organization never learned to gulp down their own discords with decent grace. Their better-drilled foes would wrangle all day, perhaps indulging in a promiscuous brawl with fists, chairs and inkstands, but the sun went not down on their wrath. A good supper, with plenty to drink, sufficed to drown animosities till after election. But the Whigs were too earnest in their disputes to forget each other's unkindness. Their brothers ached too long after the blows were given. The party was always crowded with foreheads between convention and election, and therefore except in extraordinary emergencies or by reason of lucky blunders, such as the advent of Harrison and Taylor in the political field, defeat was their constant portion.

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Chicago, April 11th, 1860.

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Chicago, April 11th, 1860. apr28-1m

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SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1860.

AGRICULTURAL.

And Other Plain Talk With Farmers.

[PREPARED EXPRESSLY FOR THE PRESS AND TRIBUNE.]

DIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL PURSUITS.

New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Ohio, will always be leading States in the sheep raising and in dairy products. Virginia would soon rank foremost if she would abandon her abominable "institution," for she possesses every advantage. That portion of Ohio lying south of the Chicago & Pittsburgh Railroad, and east of the dividing ridge between the Scioto and the Muskingum, is the great sheep region of the State. Millions of dollars have the farmers of that section lost by tearing up their hill-side fields for wheat and corn. Every severe thunder shower washed down all the fertile soil from hundreds of acres; and still men continue with a suicidal persistence to prepare their hill-fields for the inevitable freshets. They are learning at last that this policy will not do, and sheep are attracting much attention.

This city comprises three great natural divisions—Southern, Central and Northern. The first seems best adapted to the culture of grain, fruit, vegetables, and a moderate quantity of stock; the second, to cattle, swine, horses and mules, together with corn, oats, barley, wheat, fruit in some localities, and a moderate number of sheep; the third, to all the grains, to all varieties of stock, and to small fruits. Wheat-eaters will always stand foremost in the husbandry of Lower Egypt. Central Illinois will always excel in beef and pork. And a mixed agriculture will characterize the North. The attempt to make a great sheep-producing section of Centralia, will some day have to be abandoned; and the sooner the better, it cannot succeed.

In the central counties, one must devote all his energies to raising wheat; another to cattle; a third, to hogs. The cattle raiser and the hog raiser usually make the best of it; but where three such men live neighbors, it scarcely ever happens that all are unfortunate the same year. Now, two years out of three is time for sale cattle, hogs and grain; and that the price of cattle should fall below the level of remuneration—the hire they get their till next year, and sell his hogs and grain. Vary the case as you may, he will be prepared, and the close of the year will find him a richer man, than he was at the beginning. In some one of his dependencies he may cash, year after year, money; or heavily held his own; but he will still have two or three resources to fall back upon. And this is the whole secret of the success of a mixed system of agriculture.

It is a common assertion that sheep cannot be profitably raised in Illinois. And one of the assigned reasons is, that they will thrive only on a hilly, timbered country. Admit that this is true, are there no timbered, hilly tracts in Illinois? There is very little difference between the soil and climate of Southern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois. The farmers of some of the lower counties of Wisconsin are growing rich by raising sheep. The production already likely to be quadrupled in a few years; and their wool crop comes in at a time when they have little else to sell. In no other portion of that State are there such evidences of prosperity. In that section of Michigan lying between its two great railroads, sheep husbandry is now carried on extensively. The result is even more flattering than in Wisconsin. Now, what is there to prevent a similar result in a much larger portion of Illinois?

And why should not more attention be paid to dairying? Those who raise cattle merely for beef, seldom pay much heed to good farming. In summer they turn their animals out to pasture; in autumn, winter, and spring, they let them "run" among the "stacks." When fattening time comes, it is the inevitable corn on the stalks and fed on the ground. Dairy cattle must be treated differently. They require roots, turnips, and carrots, sprinkled liberally with salt and meal. Treat the cow with sheep. This prescription is more diversified husbandry. Root culture enriches land. When animals are hand-fed, their manure is collected and saved; the land is still more enriched. Fewer acres being put in wheat and corn, the ground can be better prepared, the seed better selected, the crops better tended, and the grain more carefully harvested. Will not this, together with a richer soil, vastly increase the yield per acre? And thus it is that a mixed system of husbandry increases the profit of every crop. Is it not far more profitable to raise six or seven hundred bushels of wheat on twenty acres, than to raise one thousand bushels on sixty acres? You perform little more than one-third the labor; you save sixty bushels of seed, you save equal to the board, house-room and wages, of one man for a whole year; you save half the expense of harvesting; you have a cleaner, plumper wheat, and you get a better price for it. And then you save forty acres of land. The good results of this system would not end here. Farmers would read more, think more, erect better buildings, take better care of their stock, have more home comforts, be more generally out of debt; there would be better roads, better schools, better times; and there would be fewer law suits, and fewer Locofocos.

Many years ago, we knew two farmers in Ohio, neighbors, one of whom had thirty acres of rather poor land, a sickly wife, two little girls, and a smell boy; the other had two hundred acres of much better land, a robust wife, two full grown daughters, and five sons averaging six feet. The man with the small farm had not a rood of meadow; there was not even a summer rivulet on his premises. He had one acre of timber; and he so laid out his fields that there was a spring in each. He kept half a dozen cows, about thirty sheep, two horses, six to eight hogs, an abundance of fowls, and a score swarms of bees. Half an acre had been devoted to his vegetable garden; small fruits he raised in abundance, and his orchard being on high grounds and properly attended to, he had an abundance of choice fruit when his neighbors had none. At all seasons of the year he had something to sell. His usual crop of wheat was four acres, and not one year in three did it fall below one hundred and fifty bushels. Three and a-half tons was his usual crop of clover, and two of timothy. His three acre corn patch yielded about two hundred and fifty bushels; and his root crop was a constant source of astonishment. Every fall he drove sheep or pigs for miles around. Nobody could make such butter. In truth everything he had was worthy of a premium. He had a workshop, and was his own carpenter, black-smith and shoemaker. His crops never suffered from the weather; his animals never shivered in the cold; he himself never seemed in a hurry. He took half a dozen agricultural papers, had a good library; he read much, studied much, and always had plenty of money. People said he was a very lucky man. But luck had nothing to do with his success. He pursued a system of mixed husbandry. He wasted none of his labor. In these lay the secret of his prosperity.

The farmer with the ten acres of wheat, raised one hundred corn,—of course,—everything else was subordinate. About half his farm was each year devoted to them. He had very good horses, broad-tired lumber wagons, and to have a nuisance and an eye-sore to his neighbors, sheep with tails like foxes, a third of whose wool at shearing time was hanging on briars, thorns, and hazel-bushes; an orchard in which half the trees were dead; a garden in which were planted only potatoes and cabbages. The fences were always out of repair. Scarcely a year passed in which acres of mown hay did not rot in the meadows, or in which acres of wheat did not sprout before threshing. And the reason assigned by this man for his losses, was, that "he had not enough time." He lived one year ahead to his means, and was perpetually involved in lawsuits. His most fortunate year was, if his judgment could be relied upon, a mysterious personage called *Bad Luck*. He worked hard, and was soo economical to take a newspaper. After a hard struggle of over twenty years, he became convinced that he had not land enough, sold out, and moved to Iowa.

This is no fancy sketch. Both of these men we knew well. What was the difference in their success owing to the differences in their systems? Readers, which needs are you copying after? Which do you like best?

Last week, in estimating the cost of raising corn and wheat, we supposed the farmers, with four hundred acres, to have three large boys, who could perform the labor of two men. Their wages added would make our figures correct. The printer omitted a whole sentence; hence, the apparent discrepancy. We have said again that all our estimates are the result of actual experiment; our purpose is, to draw attention to the subject of a greater diversity of agricultural pursuits.

ENCOURAGE YOUR BOYS.—Only of the most methods of attaching a boy to the farm, is to let him have something upon it *for his own*. Give him a small plot of ground to cultivate, allow him a small number of fowls, a pig, &c., and provide a separate apartment for his own use. Let him have his pocket money, if he can earn it, by his care for. The ownership of even a small tree, planted, pruned, and brought into bearing by his own hands, will inspire him with an interest that no mere request or wages can give. Restriction to the cultivation of a taste for farm life, which such a course would foster, is the old-fashioned folly of compelling the boy will be of the highest value. Bring associations will make him a mere servant, and will thoroughly unfit him for becoming a successful farmer. Another especially important advantage will be the sometiming him early to feel responsibility. Many farmers, though they have boys enough, keep all the management of the farm, substantially to this day, treated with management of an estate, from want of responsibility. It is manifest that responsibility should be first thrown upon him in small matters, and gradually increased as he shows himself worthy of it. Let him have his own way in trying his experiments. What vast amounts of labor and capital have been wasted in testing the value of fertilizers by persons who had no interest in the experiments, and who did not understand how to conduct them! What they do it; but few of the fathers of

their labor are rewarded. Experiments in the field, to be of value, must be watched; if not, the tendency is to confusion rather than interest. A record, when planting potatoes, peas next to fertilizers, bone-yard manure, guano, bone dust, phosphate of lime, wood ashes, plaster of Paris, salt, caustic lime, oyster shell lime, water-slaked lime, the salt and lime mixture, and muck treated and unused, will be of great interest. If manure was used separately, and in different parts of a field, having the same quality of soil throughout, the fact of ascertain the value of manufacturing what kind of manure was best for the potato? No attention was paid to the chemical or mechanical qualities of the soil, its requirements, or its natural deficiencies, by those men who thus blindly grope in the dark are the first to advocate, occasionally, some extreme notion of "scientific farming," when they have exhausted their treatment and mode of application. The explorer should not be misled by the dregs of any theory, but should select for himself from every source that which seems most rational, and in best obedience to nature's unerring laws.

When sorghum is planted, its vital force occupies three or four weeks in pushing its tap roots deep into the soil before it begins to build the stalk, and upon its facilities during this period to reach its roots deep and wide in the soil depends the success of the crop in its development and sugar formation. The root of the sorghum is much larger than that of corn, and its habit is to root deeply. If it cannot grow according to its habit it cannot be expected to perfect its fruit. Cultivate deeply; keep clean and well hood, do not hill up, and never pull off the suckers. The seedling may mature better than the larger ones, and yield a heavier per centage of sugar. Many pinch off the panicles after they appear, but the strength of the plant may not be wasted in forming seed. This is a mistaken policy, as the strength of the plant is immediately taxed to throw out new panicles.

Stock.

SHED-SHELTER, AND ROLLING THE FLESH.—In another article we have recommended our readers to examine the subject of sheep culture. It will soon be time for washing and shearing, and we shall offer a few suggestions. In the first place, as soon as you can, don't dock your lambs in the morning. The following all day after their dams, worried by flies and perhaps weakened by loss of blood, they become very much wasted, and sometimes do not recover their former vigor for a fortnight. Dock them just before sundown.

At least ten days should come between docking and any other surgical operation. Bear these things in mind. Cause your animals as little pain.

For washing, fair warm weather should be improved. If possible, the sheep should be washed in the forenoon, so that they will be finished some hours before sundown they will become partially dry before the chilly air of night comes on, and will, of course, be less affected by it. The most convenient place for washing, is a stream of clear water, with a gravelly or stony bottom, and sufficiently large to carry off the sheep. A small stream may be dammed or turned into a ravine so as to answer the same purpose.

When sheep are taken into the water, their heads should be somewhat shrouded; the washing is performed by squeezing portions of the fleece between the hands until the water flowing from it will not be discolored by the dirt. Then, if convenient, the sheep should be driven to some higher and purer part of the stream, and well rinsed. When the sheep is taken out of the water, if it is a valuable animal, or if the fleece is so filled with water that it cannot stand up, support it till the fleece is drained, so that it may not fall upon the ground.

During the process of washing, it should be borne in mind, the sheep is taken into an element for which it feels the greatest abhorrence, and which it always avoids, except to quench its thirst. Therefore, it should be kept in the water no longer than is necessary for clean washing, and it should be handled as gently as is consistent with perfect cleanness of the fleece. In taking a sheep into water, the arms and hands should be placed around the neck or body, or the hind legs; and the animal should never be lifted up or tossed about by merely clinching the wool, nor be thrown violently into the water, so as to injure it by contusion, as is often done in sport.

After washing, sheep ought to be kept, till shearing time, in clean, grassy pastures, free from burs, thistles, &c.

Shearing may with propriety be commenced in five or six days after washing, if the weather has been fair enough to dry the fleece; otherwise, a long time will be required. The yolk, in that period, will be started into the fleece, so as to soften the wool, and preserve it from moths after it is packed away.

Only a small flock should be taken to the shearing place at any one time; that is, only about as many as can be shorn in half a day. A clean, smooth floor is the most convenient place for shearing—either on a common barn floor, or on a floor of plank made temporarily in a sheep barn or shed.

In shearing, as well as at all other times, the same caution should be used in handling sheep as in washing them.

Sheep shearers differ somewhat as to the mode of performing the principal points of work; these: Cut the wool with one clip of the shears, and not in twain, as persons shearing too fast are apt to do; and shear it even and close, without cutting any of the skin. Special care should be taken not to cut the udder or teats, or any delicate part of either sex. If a wound be made by the shears, a little tar and grease mixed, or a little powdered charcoal, should be applied, in order to keep off the flies. The shearer should hold the sheep in the most comfortable position that he should not have more in a day than he can do in a workmanlike manner. No racing should be indulged in, under any consideration.

A common mode of shearing, and perhaps as convenient as any, is as follows: Having first well swept the shearing floor, the shearer catches the sheep, and removes all straws and burs from the fleece, and all filth from about the tail, with shears, if necessary; he then places the sheep on the floor, resting upon its rump, with its head upwards, and with his back and back resting against his legs. He first shears the wool from around the neck and head, making short clips, with the shears close to the skin, and bending the neck from side to side, as may be found convenient; next he clips the wool from the forelegs, brisket, and belly, as far down as he can reach; then he lays the sheep down upon its side and shears off all the wool on one side, from the belly to the back; he then turns the sheep over upon the other side, in such a manner as not to tear the fleece, and clips the wool in a like manner from the remaining side; after which, he places the sheep upon its feet, and trims off the lower leg-wool, which is kept by itself.

The fleece, without the leg-wool, should be placed with the shorn side downwards upon the floor, and then, if any tag-locks remain, carefully remove them. Let the fleece be then made as compact as possible, by pushing the wool from each side towards the centre; the lower part of the wool is then thrown upon the fleece; next, the shorn folds each side of the fleece towards the middle, so that it shall not exceed eight or ten inches in width. The head and neck portion should be turned back upon the fleece, as far as the part shorn from the shoulders, and then, beginning at the tail end, roll it up as tightly as possible.

Wind some twine around it, and tie it; crossing the twine in different directions, and passing it only as many times around the fleece as will be sufficient to confine it compactly. Some smooth twine should be used. This method presents to the eye as good wool as grows upon the sheep, and, if all is done right, it will appear desirable. The fleece should be removed to a cool, clean, dry, dark room, free from dust or dirt of any kind, until it is sold or packed in sacks. Exposure to light for a few days will give it a yellow hue.

TURNING TO PASTURE.—An old farmer says that a bushel of corn-meal fed to an animal, when being turned from hay to grass, is worth three dollars. Now, that may seem too much, and perhaps it is; but first let us look at it in this light: an animal fed a quart a day, in the month of May, with what hay it will eat at night in the stable, and turned to grass days, he says will gain 50 lbs.; whereas, if turned to pasture alone, will lose 50 lbs. thereby making a difference of 100 lbs. in the month.

MIXING BREEDS.—It is a common conclusion with farmers, as well as with many agriculture writers, that the progeny of a large and small breed of hogs should be exactly intermediate, or more definitely, a portion of the large size of the one, and fattening properties of the other, would be combined in the cross breed. It is time such notions were dispelled, as a great loss of time, and often a waste of means, the unavoidable result of those erroneous opinions. That "like produces like," is the rule of breeders; but it does not follow that widely dissimilar animals should produce intermediate progeny, or partake of the like of either. In mixing Suffolk with a large breed, as the Irish Grazier, we have uniformly found a part of the pigs possessing the form and fattening qualities of the Suffolk, and seldom, if ever, increased in size, and a part with the size, form, and other characteristics of the Grazier, without an apparent trace of the fattening properties of the Suffolk. In short, mixing large and small breeds of hogs, we have found very much like mixing oil and water. It is understood that most of our improved breeds of hogs have their origin in the introduction of the Chinese hog into England; but we apprehend this improvement has been effected more by judicious selection, than by cross ing; and hence the slight improvement in size of the small breeds over the Chinese hog.

ADVANTAGE OF HOUSING CATTLE.—An English experimenter writes, "last autumn I tied up four fine cows under cover, three in separate boxes, and kept seven loose in two yards, four in one and three in another, each having a bowl of chaff to run into before feeding time. They all ushike in age, and were treated in the same way, namely: 5 lbs. or linseed cake each per day, three quarters of a bushel of mangel wurzel, and hay or oat straw distributed equally in all. Those shut up in the boxes, and those tied up were all ready for the market first, and those fed in the yard received them in the middle of winter, and when they came to be marketed, it was found that they were not ready by a month as early as those that were tied or fastened up.

FAST WALKING HORSES.—A writer in the *Country Gentleman* suggests that a premium be offered at the annual fairs for fast walking horses, as well as trotters. He says: "I think horses trained to walk would be of greater benefit to farmers in general than their trotters, as almost all their work has to be done with a walk. I once knew a man in Massachusetts, who, before the railroads were built, kept fresh horses at intervals at work on the road, and never allowed them to trot, and made the distance in quicker time than his neighbors, who would have put their horses through at a trot. He also said that when a horse commenced to walk after a trot, he walked much slower than if he commenced it first, and that a walking horse would travel as fast if kept as a walker, and would last twice as long than he gained.

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Financial and Commercial.

MONETARY.

Saturday Evening, May 11, 1860.

The scarcity of exchange still continues and rates are firm at 1/2 premium for currency. Since the decline, the demand has been large from neighboring cities for Chicago funds. To the same time, for the week which some time to time have been duly noted in our commercial columns, shipments have not been heavy, and hence the demand for exchange has exceeded the amounts coming in the hands of bankers. Shipments must soon largely increase, and it is believed that the stringency will be temporary. We therefore see no disposition to increase the rates.

Currency is very abundant. Gold dull at 1/4 premium for currency.

CANADA SOUTHERN WESTERN RAILWAY.—Traffic for the week ending May 5th, 1860:

Previously reported	$2,000
This week	1,000
Total	$3,000

COMMERCIAL.

Saturday Evening, May 11, 1860.

The following are the receipts and shipments for the last twenty-four hours:

Flour	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Barley	Rye
Receipts	2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Shipments	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000

ARRIVED AND DEPARTED BY LAKE STEAMERS.

	Arrived	Departed
Chicago	5,021	5,021
Detroit	1,000	1,000
Buffalo	1,000	1,000
Cleveland	1,000	1,000
Milwaukee	1,000	1,000

RECEIPTS.

For the week.	1860.	1859.
Flour, bbls	2,000	2,000
Wheat, bush	1,000	1,000
Corn, bush	1,000	1,000
Oats, bush	1,000	1,000
Barley, bush	1,000	1,000
Rye, bush	1,000	1,000

*Exclusive of local deliveries.

SHIPMENTS.

For the week.	1860.	1859.
Flour, bbls	1,000	1,000
Wheat, bush	1,000	1,000
Corn, bush	1,000	1,000
Oats, bush	1,000	1,000
Barley, bush	1,000	1,000
Rye, bush	1,000	1,000

	Since Jan. 1.	Same time 1859.
Beef, tcs and bbls	1,000	1,000
Pork, bbls	1,000	1,000
Lard, bbls	1,000	1,000
Tallow, bbls	1,000	1,000
Hides, bbls	1,000	1,000
Beef, tcs and bbls	1,000	1,000
Pork, bbls	1,000	1,000
Lard, bbls	1,000	1,000
Tallow, bbls	1,000	1,000
Hides, bbls	1,000	1,000

The exports are increased materially by the large shipments of grain. Within the past week 200,000 bushels of wheat and corn, and 50,000 bushels oats. The movement towards the seaboard are consequently very active.

VESSELS GOING INTO THE ATLANTIC TRADE.—The *Buffalo Express* of the 10th has the following:

The steamboat interest, Messrs. Miller & Smith, of Buffalo, have this week chartered the schr. G. W. Holmes freight walnut lumber from Toledo to Buffalo, to load next week; also schrs. St. Louis, Ogdensburg and Ocean, for freight of walnut lumber direct from Chicago to Boston, to load the latter part of June. This makes a total of eight vessels already chartered by this firm for this season, only. Other vessels will follow during the season.

The schooners West Wind and Fashion will also load next week at Toledo for Boston.

Receipts and Shipments by Rail and Lake Ports.

MAY 9.—Received, 7,517 bbls flour, 11,911 bu wheat, 6,626 bu corn, 12,814 bu oats, 2,114 bu rye. The movement for the week, according to the *Courier and Inquirer*, is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

For the week.	Flour, bbls	Wheat, bush	Corn, bush	Oats, bush	Barley, bush	Rye, bush
Previously reported	46,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Total	46,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000

SHIPMENTS.

For the week.	Flour, bbls	Wheat, bush	Corn, bush	Oats, bush	Barley, bush	Rye, bush
Previously reported	46,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Total	46,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000

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Lard, bbls	1,000	1,000
Tallow, bbls	1,000	1,000
Hides, bbls	1,000	1,000

CORN IN NEW YORK ON THE 9TH.—The *Courier and Inquirer* says:

Corn was in good demand and yellow and white sold very firm, while Western mixed was quite irregular; several parcels, inconsiderable in quantity, about 9,000 bu in all, sold at 76@ 77c, chiefly at 77c, delivered in store. Large quantities are understood to be on the way, which depress the market. A prime cargo on the spot would probably have brought 80c this week. There were sales of about 12,000 bu round yellow, and 2,500 bu Southern flat yellow at 82c, and 3,500 bu prime white Southern at 85c. Other small transactions were made in yellow and white within the range. The sales of the day were about 30,000 bu.

OATS.—The *New York Shipping List* of the 9th, contains the following:

We hear of a lively movement in Oats up North. According to the *Albany Journal*, there are parties in Canada who hold a large quantity which they intend shipping to England during the Summer months on speculation. The article is variously estimated from 2,250,000 to 4,000,000 bushels. A letter from Montreal says that four vessels have been engaged to take them from the St. Lawrence, while another states that the freights have been engaged in New York upon much more advantageous terms than could be obtained in Canada.

The Toronto *Globe* of the 10th contains the following:

In oats there has not been so much done as in former weeks. There is a large stock held for shipment, but rates are low, and the demand is not sufficiently high to induce a movement. This has had the effect of keeping prices low, with a smaller supply than usual. The prices paid to the farmers have been 32c to 33c per bush.

The N. Y. *Courier and Enquirer* of the 8th re. ports freights engaged for 35,000 bu oats to Liverpool, at 9½d per 60 pounds, in ship's bags, which makes 80,000 bu shipped within a few days.

Daily Review of Chicago Market.

FRIDAY EVENING, May 11.

FREIGHTS—Declined No. 2 to Philadelphia, wheat to Buffalo at 5c; other flours, corn to Buffalo, at 4½c; back Great West, unchanged; to Buffalo, on p. t.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 2,000 bbls; wheat, 1,000 bush; barley crop quiet. Sales were as follows: 100 brls "Iowa" (flat ship) at $5.35 2d; 100 brls good Spring extra at $5.45 2d; 100 brls do at $5.50 2d; 200 brls low grade Spring extra, at $5.15 3d; 118 brls Red River White Winter at $5.75 in store; 100 brls prime White Winter at $6.10 in store; 100 brls do at $6.25